Awards to Louisiana Artists and Scholars (ATLAS)

Program Objective: The ATLAS program provides support for major scholarly and artistic productions with potential to have a broad impact on a regional and/or national level. These activities will contribute to the Support Fund’s comprehensive objective of strengthening the educational, artistic, and research bases of Louisiana institutions. Proposed activities should enable the applicant to seek publication and/or public presentation of the supported work within a limited period of time.

Eligibility:
- Project period is 1 year (starting dating June 1, 2021)
- Maximum funding request is $50,000
- PI must be a full-time employee of UNO
- Eligible disciplines:
  - Creative Arts
  - Humanities
  - Social Science

  Note: The topic of the proposed project determines eligibility, not the academic background or appointment of the applicant.

ATLAS Funding Guidelines
- PI salary & fringe benefits (including summer salary)
- Student and support personnel
- Travel
- Supplies
- Equipment
- Publication costs
- Other expenses

Office of Research Budgetary Guidelines
PIs must use the EXCEL budget spreadsheets provided on the Office of Research’s website. These spreadsheets contain additional budget information and will automatically calculate the correct fringe benefits, indirect costs, and the composite budget page.

Relevant Deadlines:
- Monday, September 28: UNO Grant Services Request Form due by 4:30pm in SharePoint
- Monday, October 12: BoR Notice of Intent due by 4:30pm in LOGAN
- Thursday, October 15: BoR Questions Final Date by 4:30pm via email or phone
- Friday, October 23: UNO Routing Form due by 4:30pm in SharePoint
- Monday, November 23: BoR Proposal due by 4:30pm in LOGAN

For more information, you can access the ATLAS RFP [here](#).

With any questions, contact: Kendy Martinez (kbmarti1@uno.edu), John Bishop (jbbishop@uno.edu), and/or Rebekah Cossaboom (rmcossab@uno.edu).
ATLAS Checklist

1. Confirm Eligibility
   [ ] Full-time employee of UNO
   [ ] Project falls into the creative arts, humanities, or social sciences
   [ ] Project budget is under $50,000
   [ ] Project can be completed in one year
   [ ] Project is not early-stage research or data-gathering, the completion of a minor creative or scholarly projects, additional work on a previously funded project, or performance of a non-original work
   [ ] Project is an original piece or art or scholarship

2. Administrative
   [ ] LOGAN account created
   [ ] Grant Services request form submitted
   [ ] Routing form submitted

3. Budget
   [ ] Budget Template
   [ ] Budget Narrative
   [ ] Budget review with Kendy Martinez in UNO Office of Research (kbmarti1@uno.edu)

4. Supporting Documents (uploaded to LOGAN)
   [ ] Letter from chair confirming faculty release time (if applicable)

5. Notice of Intent (completed in LOGAN)
   [ ] Cover Page – title of project, investigator name, amount requested
   [ ] Project Summary (one page max)
   [ ] Submitted electronically via LOGAN by 4:30 pm on Monday, October 12, 2020

6. Proposals
   [ ] Cover Page form completed in LOGAN
   [ ] Single PDF Narrative document includes:
     [ ] Narrative Account section (2 pages max)
     [ ] Context for Project and Project Work Plan section (3 pages max)
     [ ] Project Goals and Evaluation section (1 page max, recommended)
     [ ] Impact on Students and/or Education section (1 page max, recommended)
     [ ] List of Production and/or Publications included (no page limit, but should be concise)
     [ ] Prospectus and Example of Work included (no page limit)
   [ ] Upload Narrative PDF into LOGAN
   [ ] Submitted electronically via LOGAN on Monday, November 23, 2020 by 4:30 pm